Ortho-imagery Technical Working Group

Idaho Geospatial Committee
Meeting Summary

Monday, September 7, 2004
1:00 PM
IDWR Conference Room, 1301 N Orchard
Boise, Idaho 83703

Summary Prepared by: Jason Carr

Persons Present:

Jason Carr- IWRRI
Gene Dana - USGS
Bridgette Krawczak - USGS
Donna Fornshell - BoR
Gary Young - BoR
Nathan Bentley – ITRMC Staff
Bruce Godfrey - (via telcon) INSIDE Idaho

The purpose of the meeting was to (1) discuss a draft version of an Ortho-imagery state standards document, (2) discuss any changes that need to be made to the Ortho-imagery I-plan document.

General Discussion:

It was suggested by Nathan and unanimously agreed by the members present, that the Ortho-Imagery Technical Working Group should drop the Ortho reference and just be the Imagery Technical Working Group. This reflects the group's interest and involvement in other imagery products that are not "Ortho" in nature.

In regards to Agenda item #1. Due to a lack of interest and participation by state agency representatives, it was determined that the documents provided by the Idaho Transportation Department be distilled down to a set of resource\knowledge-base documents, white papers if you will. These are to be included on the Imagery Technical Working Group web page as links. Other links to information sources will also be provided.

In regards to Agenda item #2. Bruce Godfrey, Nathan Bentley and Jason Carr will meet to discuss items that need to be changed or updated. See action item #1, below.

Further discussion regarding the delivery of the 2004 2-meter georeferenced photography ensued. Highlights- 100% of the state has been acquired, first delivery by Horizons to the APFO was rejected for issues unknown, a portion of the state was not collected in CIR-the contractor has created synthetic CIR, that was rejected by Nathan. Frank

Roberts is coordinating the purchase of the non-synthetic CIR. Interested parties should contact Frank Roberts or Josh Arnold at the Coeur d'Alene Tribe for further information.

Nathan researched an external hard drive for the distribution of the 2004 imagery. The leading candidate can be reviewed at http://www.lacie.com/products/product.htm?id=10118.

Action Items:
1) Nathan\Bruce\Jason to redline the I-plan and prepare for updates to that document.
2) Jason to add changes suggested by Bill Kramber and others to the digital documents for review on the web page. Break 14-page document into pieces?
3) Nathan to reorganize\rename documents on web page as suggested by Gene and discussed by the group.
4) Nathan and Gary to review and correct, as needed, the "Example of Production Workflow" and "Imagery Planning-Appropriate Photo Scales" documents.